



ST. PAUL'S
CHURCH OF ENGLAND
PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER
ENGAGE - INSPIRE - ACHIEVE

The Christian family of St Paul's... moving forward together.

*'Wait for the lord let your heart take courage'
Psalm 27:14*

Friday 8th December 2017

Headteacher news

We're gearing up for a busy few weeks. We are looking forward to the infant play, the junior carol service and the pantomime.

We are expecting snow over the weekend and hope everyone has lots of fun, but please keep safe. We will try to avoid closing school and will inform you through our school website and twitter page. We will also send a text home. Please can you ensure any updated telephone numbers are given to our school office so we can ensure that you are sent the correct information.

Have a lovely weekend ☺
Mrs Charlesworth

Christmas Closure

May we remind you that we close for Christmas at 1:35pm. Children can be collected from their classroom doors as normal. Children who attend BYT are able to stay however the club will close at 5pm on that day. Please see letter provided by BYT staff.

Starting Reception in 2018

The closing date for families living in the Lancashire area who require a primary school place in September 2018 is fast approaching.

The means of application is via Lancashire's new online system at: www.lancashire.gov.uk/schools

This is a quick and easy way and offers an email receipt of all submitted applications. Please ensure that you hit the 'submit' button when you are ready to send in your completed online application. You must apply even if you have siblings at your preferred school or academy.

The closing dates for applications for September 2018 are at 11.59pm on: 15th January 2018

Building Learning Power Award

This year we have decided to include a BLP Superhero of the week from each class for someone who has demonstrated a particular BLP learning capacity. Our focus for this term is 'Reciprocity.' Please ask your children about how they have worked with others and to support others this week and look out for our masked and caped BLP Superheroes around school!

	<u>LEARNER OF THE WEEK</u>	<u>BLP SUPERHERO OF THE WEEK</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE</u>
Starfish -	Ben Toole	Mysha Ahmed	96.7%
Turtles -	Lottie Upton-Rhodes	Ruby Wilkinson	98%
Seahorses -	Tyler Jennings	Harry Schofield	98.7%

Unicorns -	Thomas Martin	Evie Trickett	98.3%
Griffins -	Whole Class	Macey-Jane Hartley	98.1%
Dragons -	Brandon Walkden	Lottie Foster	100%
Phoenix -	Matthew Wheatley	Emma Chen	98.8%
Sea-Serpents	Harvey Woolley	Melody Ashman	98.4%

DIARY DATES

Wednesday 13th December - Turtles, Seahorses & Unicorns pantomime trip
 Wednesday 13th December - Griffin's Dragons, Phoenix and Sea serpents Christmas lunch
 Thursday 14th December - Infant Nativity 2pm and 5.30 pm
 Monday 18th December - EYFS Party
 Tuesday 19th December - Transition unit Party
 Wednesday 20th December - Griffins, Dragons, Phoenix & Sea Serpents pantomime trip
 Acorns, Turtles, Seahorses & Unicorns Christmas Lunch
 Upper Unit party
 Thursday 21st December - Infant Party **REVISED DATE**
 Thursday 21st December - Junior Carol Service 2pm @ Church
 Friday 22nd December - Finish for Christmas Holiday @ 1:35pm

Please look on our class pages on the school website to find information about special dates for each class.

Church News

Please note the change in Service times for some of the Christmas services.

Sunday 24th December please join us at 11pm for our midnight service at St Paul's.

Monday 25th December join us at 10.30am for our Christmas morning celebration at St Mary's.

Rawtenstall Market Family Fun Day

We hope you will be able to join us on

SATURDAY 9th DECEMBER

From 10am till 3 pm

Father Christmas will be here, so call and see him
£1.50 per child (11am till 3pm)

We will have the lovely popcorn and candy floss stand along with The Samosa shack is back again
lots and lots of Christmas crafts for you to make and do.

(All free just asking for small donations)

Glitter tattoos

Fondant snowman making

Christmas treasure hunt for our market Elves

We have mulled wine and hot chocolate in our very own market mugs (not to be missed)

Also Look out for the Giant Snow Globe

Get all you Christmas shopping from you local market.

Looking forward to seeing you all



Reflective Friday.

